



Florida Department of Transportation

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ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL

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SECRETARY
August 24, 2005

SUBJECT: Tropical Storm Katrina, Hurricanes Dennis, Jeannie, Ivan, Frances and Charley Road Use Permit authorizing the movement of Overweight and Over dimensional Emergency Equipment and Supplies, Temporary Emergency Buildings, Storm Wreckage and Debris, Livestock, Fresh and Processed Fruit and Vegetable Products, and Timber.

Executive Order 05-176 issued August 24, 2005, Executive Order 05-149 issued July 19, 2005, Supplemental Order Issued July 9, 2005 and Executive Order Number 05-139 issued July 7, 2005 delegate certain powers to the Director of the Division of Emergency Management "to suspend existing Statutes, Rules, Ordinances, and Orders for the duration of this emergency to the extent that literal compliance with such Statutes, Rules, Ordinances, and Orders may be inconsistent with the timely performance of disaster response functions."

With this authority, the Florida Department of Transportation provides this letter to permit the movement of vehicles transporting emergency equipment and supplies, temporary emergency buildings and their components, storm wreckage, debris, livestock, fresh and processed fruit and vegetable products, and timber associated with Tropical Storm Katrina, Hurricanes Dennis, Jeannie, Ivan, Frances and Charley into and out of Florida. The weight, height, length, and width for any such vehicle on roadways maintained by the State of Florida shall not exceed the following:

- A. The maximum Gross Vehicle Weight for vehicles equipped with five (5) weight-bearing axles with outer bridge spans of not less than forty (40) feet, but less than fifty-one (51) feet, shall not exceed ninety thousand (90,000) pounds.
- B. The maximum Gross Vehicle Weight for vehicles equipped with five (5) weight-bearing axles with outer bridge spans of not less than fifty-one (51) feet shall not exceed ninety-five thousand (95,000) pounds.
- C. The maximum Gross Vehicle Weight for vehicles equipped with four (4) weight-bearing axles with outer bridge spans of not less than forty-three (43) feet shall not exceed eighty thousand (80,000) pounds.
- D. Maximum dimensions shall not exceed fourteen (14) feet wide, fourteen (14) feet high, and ninety five (95) feet long.
- E. All straight trucks shall meet the following requirements: The maximum Gross Vehicle Weight shall not exceed eighty thousand (80,000) pounds. The maximum weight of any single axle shall not exceed twenty seven thousand and five hundred (27,500) pounds and the maximum weight of any tandem axle shall not exceed fifty five thousand (55,000) pounds and the maximum weight of any tri axle shall not exceed seventy thousand (70,000) pounds.

This letter permits movement of such vehicles traveling on the Florida Interstate System, excluding travel on I-10 at Escambia Bay and I-110 at U.S. 98 in Escambia County. Movement is permitted off the Florida Interstate System when accompanied by the attached (9) page TT Map # 1, 2001, when traveling on routes shown on the attached map.

Authorized travel times: Vehicles up to eight (8) feet six (6) inches wide, up to eighty (80) feet long and up to fourteen (14) feet high may travel all days, all hours. Vehicles exceeding the previously mentioned dimensions in this paragraph, up to fourteen (14) feet wide, up to ninety-five (95) feet long and up to fourteen (14) feet high, may travel all days, daytime hours only excluding holidays and peak hours of traffic (7:00 am to 9:00 am and 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm) in the following counties: Broward, Dade, Duval, Hillsborough, Orange, Palm Beach, Pinellas; in the following cities: Daytona Beach, Gainesville, Lakeland, Melbourne, Palm Bay, Pensacola, Port St. Lucie, Sarasota, Tallahassee (interstate system is excluded in these cities).

Movement requirements are as follows: Vehicles greater than ten (10) feet wide and up to twelve (12) feet wide, and up to eighty (80) feet long shall travel with one (1) amber warning light while operating on state maintained roadways in Florida. Vehicles which exceed ten (10) feet wide and up to twelve (12) feet wide, and up to ninety-five (95) feet long shall travel with two (2) amber warning lights while operating on state maintained roadways in Florida. Vehicles greater than twelve (12) feet wide and up to fourteen (14) feet wide shall travel with one (1) certified escort and four (4) amber warning lights while operating on state maintained roadways in Florida. All vehicles shall be marked and have working lights in accordance with the current laws and Federal requirements.

Nothing in this letter shall be construed to allow any vehicle to exceed weight and height limits posted for bridges and like structures, nor shall anything in this letter be construed to relieve any vehicle or the carrier, owner, or driver of any vehicle from compliance with any restrictions other than those specified in this letter, or from any statute, rule, order or other legal requirement not specifically waived herein. The transporter is responsible for verifying adequate vertical and horizontal clearance. The transporter shall carry this letter on board at all times during the move. The Transporter is responsible for demonstrating the move is part of the response to the disaster.

Please honor this letter as a Road Use Permit issued for the purpose of the Tropical Storm Katrina, Hurricanes Dennis, Jeannie, Ivan, Frances and Charley emergency response, for a period of time not to exceed sixty (60) days from the date of Executive Order 05-176 issued on August 24, 2005. If you require additional information, please call (850) 410-5777, Florida Department of Transportation Road Use Permit Office.

Sincerely,

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